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I would like to encourage the DOJ to adopt the proposal by Redhat to contribute software and as terms of the monopoly settlement to force Microsoft to provide hardware to schools. It would be absurd, as part of a monopoly settlement, to distribute Microsoft software to schools. This simply extends the influence over the market that they were convicted for in the first place. Justice would best be served if Microsoft were forced to distribute an alternative to their software instead and provide hardware as penance for their monopolistic practices.

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